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County Correspondence

ELM HALL

Mr. and Mrs. Boardman were in Ithaca, Tuesday.

Mrs. C. A. Pratt went to Mecosta, Tuesday, for a week's visit.

Mrs. Ida Hills and son Max of Elwell, was in town, Wednesday.

Jack Johnson has purchased a new Saxon car.

Mrs. Jennie Blair is spending a week in Grand Rapids, with her sister, Mrs. Clara Stevens.

Mr. and Mrs. James Faulkner of Middleton, came Thursday afternoon, to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Carbin.

Mrs. Edward Tissue is spending a week with her daughter Mrs. Charles Darling, in Lansing.

Mrs. Alice Holmes returned home Wednesday after spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shaler, of Mecosta.

James Toy spent Saturday and Sunday with her daughter Mrs. Roth Marvin, of Mt. Pleasant.

Miss Lila Sandell of Mt. Pleasant, visited her sister Mrs. Thomas Croton, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Dora Bodim of Grand Rapids, is helping to care for her mother, Mrs. Swain, who is very sick.

GALLEY 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Boardman spent Friday with their daughter, Mrs. George Converse of Muir.

Guy Stroughter and wife of Sumner spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Seneca Sly.

Miss Amy Walker was home from Mt. Pleasant, over Sunday.

SUMNER

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Davis and daughter Versil, were Elwell callers, Tuesday.

Dr. Graham and family attended the ball game at Ithaca, Tuesday.

Howard Hicks and family left for Wisconsin, Tuesday, where he has charge of the S. D. A. Camp Meeting.

They will make their home there, during the coming year.

Mrs. Rose McGreanor and daughter Mary Helen, were Alma visitors, Tuesday.

Elder Mudge made a business trip to Hubbardston, Tuesday.

Charles Ring of Elm Hall was a Sumner business caller, Tuesday.

Ray Crispell and wife of California, were calling on old friends here, Tuesday.

Vestaburg advertised their Field Day in a unique way Wednesday, by bringing their band along and playing three selections while other men were billing the town.

The Misses Eva and Jamie Lang, came Wednesday, to spend a few days with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Lang.

Miss Ina Hicks left for Berrien Springs, Friday, where she will attend the summer school, preparatory to teaching this coming year.

Mrs. Davis of Elm Hall, is the guest of her son Milt Davis and wife.

Miss Essie Stearns spent the week end with her brother Alfred and family, of Stanton.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Johnson, were Carson City business callers, Saturday.

Mrs. Rose McGreanor and daughter left Friday for Monroe to spend a few days with her sister, Mrs. DuClo.

Mr. and Mrs. William Fowler, shopped in Alma, Saturday.

Ruth Graham is entertaining her friend Miss Minces of New Haven.

Alfred Stearns and family were Sunday guests of his parents H. Stearns and wife.

Miss H. Williams of Riverdale is the guest of her friends the Misses Alice and Rhea Seamon.

Eddie Pharris who recently returned from Wyoming, because of ill health, is a little better at present.

Miss Lavilla Yeiter of Owosso, is the guest of her aunts, Mrs. Lydia Evey and Mrs. Jas. Stevens.

Miss Lois Evey of Alma, spent the week end with her parents Elmon Evey and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Tucker made a business trip to Alma, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Omans of York State, are spending a few days with his sister Mrs. Horatio Stearns and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lafayette Price of New Haven, are the proud parents of a baby girl, born Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Price are enjoying a visit from the former's mother Mrs. Price of Greenville.

The "Lanshaw Players" closed their three nights engagements here, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Mulford have moved into the rooms back of the millinery shop.

Loyal Woodard and family spent Sunday with his parents at Elm Hall.

WHEELER

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hynes and Barney Swope drove through Lansing, Monday and returned Wednesday.

Mrs. Arthur Roof of Elwell visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ed Allen, a few days last week.

Dr. Street and family were in Alma,

Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Foland is visiting her daughter Mrs. Bradford, in Ithaca, and friends in Mt. Pleasant.

D. L. Johnson of Alma, was in town on business, Wednesday.

Mrs. Emma Eaton of Merrill visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Weeks, Wednesday.

Miss Alberta Stowe of Ashley is visiting friends here.

Messrs. Ed. Gazette and Roy Holsinger, were in Flint, on business, Thursday.

Mrs. Beno Hoffmeyer was in St. Louis, Friday.

Saturday the local baseball team played Forest Hill and were defeated by the score of 11 to 6. Wheeler was weakened by the loss of several of her best players.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kipp of Saginaw, visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. William Kipp, Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Cheeseman of St. Louis, was in town, Saturday, on business.

Miss Laura Taylor of Detroit, is visiting her numerous friends in this vicinity.

David Lockwood and wife were in Sumner, visiting friends, Friday.

The Misses Hattie and Hazel Felton Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Whitmore of Mayville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Rowell, Thursday.

Rex Allen of Alma, visited his parents Mr. and Mrs. Ed Allen, over Sunday.

TOWN LINE

W. C. Hansley of Arcada, spent Sunday with E. J. Wise.

Howard Clow went to Courtland, New York, the last of the week, called there by the serious illness of his sister.

Frank Church of Ithaca has taken the contract to build Harry Roger's new house.

Mrs. Wm. Veeder of Mt. Pleasant, spent Sunday with her parents Milton Veeder and wife and called on other relatives.

Hamilton Gee and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Smith, in Isabella county, Sunday.

Wesley Webb and wife spent Sunday with Arthur Grandy and wife in Arcada.

The farmers in this vicinity are having rather bad luck taking care of their hay this summer on account of so much wet weather.

Mrs. Florence Webb of Elwell, has been visiting with relatives here, Friday and Saturday.

Earl Richman of Riverdale, spent Thursday with E. J. Wise and wife.

Lehr Apple and Odley Charter, are working for Lile Nelson, by the day.

Mrs. Lester Thomas and children accompanied by Clare Nelson and family from Saginaw on Friday and were guests of friends.

John Jones of Sterling is working for H. J. Hyde.

Harry Watkins and wife who have been in Illinois have returned and spent Sunday with Mrs. H. J. Hyde and husband. Mr. Watkins will move into what is known as Frank Church's farm to make their future home.

Mrs. Geo. Snapp and Mrs. Geo. Parks of Riverdale visited Mrs. Lois Engerham, the last of the week.

Bert Bamorough who has been so ill for the past week is reported to be a little better at this writing.

Dr. E. Erwin of Alma, was called to the home of Wesley Webb, on account of a sick horse on Thursday.

Mrs. Jerome Kenney and Mrs. Geo. Taylor, attended the M. E. Church camp meeting which was held in Riverdale, on Sunday.

Glen Nelson of West Brand is spending a few weeks with his cousin, Lile Nelson and family.

Thelma and Irene Nelson of Saginaw, are spending a few days with friends and relatives in this neighborhood.

Mrs. John Hall, who has been here visiting for the past few weeks has returned to her home in Tennessee.

There were a number from this vicinity that attended the camp meeting which the M. E. Church's of Elwell, Sumner, Elm Hall and Riverdale, joined together. Owing to the rain, Sunday evening, made it bad for people who wanted to attend.

Mrs. Maude Cummings of Detroit, came the last of the week to spend a few days with friends and relatives in this vicinity.

Thomas Bartlett and wife of Alma, were guests of H. B. Currence and family, on Friday.

Miss Mable Pendle of near Middleton, spent Friday with her cousin, Giles Isham and family.

Mrs. Wm. Way and children spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. Henry Froush, in Alma.

Louis Church and family of near Vestaburg, spent a couple of days with the former's parents, E. Church and wife.

Miss Floral Waldo received word from Mrs. Geo. Ward and daughter Hulda, who are taking a trip through the west this summer, that they are having a fine time. At present they are in Portland, Oregon. They will return this fall so Hulda will be here to attend school this fall. They are well pleased with the western states.

OUR WEEKLY LIMERICK

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